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BASED SWITCHING NETWORKS

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

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In response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2005 (Paper No. 10132005) please
amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.